Seldom has it been our duty to gloom spread over the whole community when it was whispered from one to another that during the night the spirit of this most estimable lady had taken it's heavenly flight. Only a few years ago she came to Dillon as the bride of one of our most honored and respected citizens, and during her residence here she had gathered around her a large circle of friends who are today bowed down in grief over her untimely death.

Mrs. Hamer had been ill only a few weeks but her illness was not looked upon with alarm. Preparations had been made to carry her to an infirmary on the day following her death where it was hoped that she would speedily recover from her illness, but on Friday evening she passed away almost before the members of the household could be summoned to her

Among us all she ranked always as a woman of culture, refinement, sympathy; a kind neighbor, devo- David, J. D. Haselden, J. H ted mother and true triend, and withal a woman of heroic mould in bravely meeting the stern requirements of life. Her home instincts were strong and her affection for her friends and kindred was tender and abiding. She was an everyday christian. The beautifying Bethea, Morris Fass, R. A Bruninfluences of a pure religion were spread over a life and character as spotless and charming as was ever Roy Williams, T. S. Richbourg, possessed by any of the noble women who had lived and died during the ages that are gone. As such a life was a blessing and benefaction to all within the sphere of its the alternates were present to fill irfluence so is the death of such a from other citizens present. an irreparable loss to the home circle made desolate by her departure. A perfect lady at all times--under all influences, she seemed born to inspire the love and respect of all who were so fortunate as to be acquainted with her. Accompanied by a large con-

course of friends the body was taken to Bennettsville Saturday afterin the family plot at Oak Ridge services being conducted by Rey, old county, I shall expect the other W. C. Kirkland, assisted by Rey, member or members to be here. Mr. Turnipseed of the First Methodist church of Bennettsville. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, but none surpassed in beauty the floral shaft from the ladies of the Home Missionary Society of Dillon of which Mrs. Hamer was the president;

In addition to a husband and three small daughters Mrs. Hamer is survived by her parents, Col. and Mrs. Knox Livingston, of Bennettsville; a brother, Mr. Van Livingston of Atlanta, and a sister, Mrs. J. E. Haynesworth, of Greenville.

Her untimely death is a great loss to the social life of the community and an irreparable loss to the church and to the several societies of which she was a valued member.

Notice of Election.

School District No. 56 in Dillon and better general equipment. that already in force for school ble to the contest. South Carolina of the year 1902, dent prior to Getober 1st. tificates as required in general after improvements are made. elections shall be allowed to vote. the proposed tax shall east a balto the levy shall cast a ballot on made. which is written or printed the 8 Prizes will be awarded in No trustees of the district shall act ceiving them. as managers of the election. sult of the election to the County Association, Saluda, S. C. Board of Education and furnish them with the poll lists, the ballot Joe P. Lane, W. F. Stackhouse.

W W. Nickels.

CorBoard of Education.

CARD OF THANKS.

Words fail to express our gratichronicle a death so sad as that of tude for the many kindnesses and Mrs. W. M. Hamer which occurred at her residence last Friday our friends in the illness and death Chairman Wilie Jones, each Demevening at 10:30 o'clock. A dark of our little boy. Each deed of kindness and every expression of sympathy we shall always cherish in grateful remembrance.

> Respectfully. Mr. and Mrs. M. Manning.

TOWNSHIP CLUB MEETS.

The Manning Township Democratic Club met at the town hall Saturday and elected the following officers:

W. T. Bethea, president; H. McRae, 1st. vice-president; Dr. J Davis, 2nd. vice-president; W. S. Ivey, secretary.

Executive Committeeman: P

Precinct Executive Committee: Dr. W. Stackhouse, Dr. J. H. David, T. A. Dillon.

Delegates to the County Convention; T. A. Dillon, C. L. Wheeler, J. J. McKay, R. P. Stackhouse, M. A. Stubbs, W. M. Hamer, H. Hubbard, A. J. C. Cottingham, R. L. Lane, I. Blum, Dave Hyatt. Dr. W. Stackhouse, Dr. J. H Hamer, H. McRae, B. A. Harrelson, Albert Hamilton, N. B. Hargrove, P. B. Sellers, W. H. Breeden, E. R. Hamer, Jack R. Watson, M. Manning, W. L. Bethea.

Alternates: W. S. Ivey, T. W son, L. Cottingham, J. C. Davis, J. A. Nettles, W. A. Blizzard, J. P. McLaurin, E. T. Elliot.

The delegation was instructed suburbs. to till in any absentees from the

Notice of County Auditor.

I hereby give notice that I shall expect the Chairman of each Township Board of Assessors in Dillon county to meet in my office on next Monday, May the 2nd., immediately after the adjournment of the noon where the interment was made | County Convention. It the chair-Cemetery Sunday morning, the any Township now reside in the

PRIZES

C. G. Bruce, County Auditor.

The South Carolina School Improvement Association offers fifty orizes to the schools of the State for the most decided material improvement made during a given length of time. Ten of the prizes are to be \$100 each, and forty are to be \$50 each. Regulations concerning the fifty prizes that are to be awarded by this Association are as follows:

1. Improvements must be made December 10, 1910.

2. Prizes will be awarded to schools where the most decided material improvements have been

be held in said School District on any of these prizes unless it is a risk. These are facts we want the the question of levying a special rural school. No town with more people to substantiate and when Presiding Elder Anderson District. tax of three mills in addition to than 400 population shall be eligithey try R. L. T. we know they

1208 of the Code of Civil Laws of | provements are made to the presi-

Tuesday May 3rd:, 1910, at Pleas- and other evidences showing imant Hill school house, or at some provements must be sent to the are daily receiving good reports claimed for it. other convenient place in said president before December 15, school district, and that only those 1910. The Chairman of the Board if all who are in need of a Liver who return real or personal prop- of Trustees of any school that is medicine most of us are) would erty for taxation and exhibit their competing for a prize must ap- give R. L. T. a fair trial they

7. Blanks will be sent to schools w At said election those who favor competing for the above prizes at with questions to be answered re- th lot on which is written or printed lating to the conditions under be the word "YES." Those opposed which the improvements have been to

word "No." The polls shall be checks December 31, 1910. The T opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and prizes are to be used for further a closed at 4 o'clock p. m. The improvements in the schools re- tel

Address all con.munications to ou Within ten days after the election Mrs W. L. Daniel, President mi the managers shall report the re- South Carolina Schoo! Improvent les

FOR SALE 216 acres land on box and all papers appertaining Southern R. R. 6 miles north of Camden. Sand-clay road, land very level. Two new three room houses, one hundred acres cleared acre to quick purchaser. J. L. Guy, Camden, S. C.

Attention Democrats

tude for the many kindnesses and by-laws of the State Democratic 46x60 and all other necessary ocratic Club in Dillon county is hereby requested to assemble at tem, Cotton seed crusher, Shinurday, April 23rd., for the purelecting delegates to the County and forty head of hogs, and all Court House on Monday, May 2nd. ann transacting such other business as may properly come before said clubs.

Each Club shall be re-organized by electing a chairman, and one or more vice-chairmen, a secretary and treasurer, a committee on en- of the whole outfit \$55,000.00. rollment, and one executive committeeman.

Each Club is entitled to one delegate to the County Convention for each 25 members as shown by the Club roll, or fractional part thereof.

At the County Convention to be held at the County Court House on Monday, April 2nd., there will be elected a Chairman, one or more vice-chairmen, a secretary the State Convention to be held at Columbia May 18.

It is earnestly desired that each delegates to the County Convenvote as possible.

I. H. Manning. A. B. jordan, Chairman Secretary.

Max Fass is erecting a neat six per acre. room residence in the southern

A FINE FARM.

2000 acres 10 miles from Albany Hardware Co. Ga., railroad through tarm with Depot on place, 1400 acres in cultivation gray pebbly land with good clay subsoil, it is perfectly level and is the finest cotton farm of its size in Southwest Ga., some of the land last year, made 11/2 bales of cotton | per acre. About land on the place. Has a six ceived.

room residence, 26 tenent houses most of them being cield inside Pursuant to the constitution and one large barn 40x80, one barn Party, and by authority of State buildings. Artesian well, one Chairman Wilie Jones, each Dem-saw-mill, two Grist mills, cotton gin with three gins Munger systheir usual meeting places on Sat- gle mill, Five wagons. Two buggies, Nine mules, One horse pose of reorganizing said clubs, Forty head of cattle, One hunered Convention to be held at the farm tools. The owner will get this year for rent of place, about 100 bales of cotton, besides corn, hay and other crops, and ought to sell at least \$500.00 worth of cattle and hogs.

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cheap and on easy terms. Frank J. Payne, Allison Bldge. Americus, Ga.

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Screen doors and windows now in season. See us. Dillon Hard-

STRAYED-One medium size 600 acres in timber, some of it be- black mare mule, about four years ing very fine, have been offered old, long bushy tail. Any infor-\$10,00 per acre for the timber. mation sent to R. C. Cummings, man of any Board of Assessors of This place is perfectly healthy, Dunbar, S. C., or H. L. Galloway, and there is not a foot of waste Clio, S. C., will be thankfully re-

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between November 1, 1909, and Dr. Richardson has been prescribing continuously for 25 years and says he does not know of any remedy that will give such good results, as this remedy.

County asking for an election to 4. No school can compete for it a thorough trial when we take a it without hesitation. will unhesitatingly agree with purposes, has been presented to 5. All who wish to enter this us when we assert there is no betabout this redicine and we know tax receipts and registration cer- prove all descriptions before and would pronounce it a thoroughly

and would not be t aids | S. C. anses isfied with-I livens Phartestimonials from

of our city.

Why not try a medicine when I have been using "Richardmade during the time mentioned. its effects are so very successfull son's Liver Tonic' in my home 3 Under material improvements in almost every case where its used for some months past and find it are included local taxation, con- and when we offer seme of our an excellent preparation. It has solidation, new buildings, repair- own personal guarantee that it served as a substitute for calomels Whereas a petition signed by ing and painting old ones, librar- will not cost you one cent if it does giving the desired effect without one-third of the qualified electors ies, reading rooms or tables, internot do what we claim. That is a the usual nausea following a dost and freeholders of Pleasant Hill ior decorations, beautifying yards, reasonable proposition that you be- or calomel, and leaving the liver lieve what we say or at least give in norman activity. I reccomend

the County Board of Education, contest must send names and deter remedy on the market, R. L. T. of R. L. T. 1 have used it in my I always keep on hand a bottle it is hereby ordered under Section scriptions of schools before im- is a medicine prepared by a Phy- family with most satisfactory resician's prescription (Dr. 1. M. sults for liver troubles, for diges-Richardson, of Anderson, S. C.) tion and as a general tonic. I valthat such an election be held 6. All descriptions, photographs which he used with wonderful suc- ue it very highly and know from cess for at least 25 years. We experience that it does all that is

> [Signed] P. B. WELLS. Pastor St. Johns Methodist Church, Anderson, S. C.

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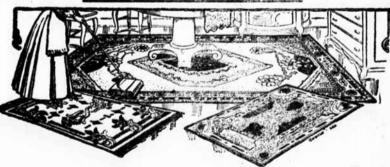
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